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INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

PROGRESS REPORT

Projects Completed

1. NIE-1, "Prospects for Communist Armed Action in the Philippines during November," published 3 November.
2. NIE-2, "Chinese Communist Intervention in Korea," published 9 November.
3. NIE-3, "Soviet Capabilities and Intentions," published 15 November.

Projects in Process

4. NIE-7, "The Importance of Yugoslavia," to be reviewed by IAC representatives 15 November with a view to consideration by the IAC on 16 November.
5. Indochina (NIE-5), Contributions received and drafting to be completed this week. Tentatively scheduled for review by IAC representatives on 22 November.
6. Germany (NIE-4). Delayed by non-receipt of contribution [redacted] May be ready for review by IAC representatives next week.
7. Iran (NIE-6). Drafting to be completed this week, for review by IAC representatives next week.
8. Turkey (NIE-9). Drafting to be completed this week, for review by IAC representatives next week.
9. Greece (NIE-8). Awaiting State contribution.
10. Middle East Oil. Drafting in progress in collaboration with State, Treasury, Commerce, ECA, and Munitions Board.

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11. Communist China (NIE-10). Draft terms of reference distributed to IAC representatives 14 November, and preliminary meeting called for 17 November.

Projected

12. With respect to the USSR.
 - a. Soviet Strengths and Weaknesses.
 - b. Soviet Intentions to Resort to General War.
13. With respect to Europe.
 - a. Military capabilities of Western Europe.
 - b. Power developing in the Satellite States.
 - c. Remilitarization of Germany.
 - d. Soviet capabilities and intentions in Austria.
 - e. Soviet conquest of Western Europe.
14. With respect to the Near and Middle East.
 - a. Importance of India.
 - b. Importance of Israel and the Arab States.
 - c. Soviet conquest of the Middle East.
15. With respect to the Far East.
 - a. Expansion of Communist control through local forces.
 - b. Revival of Japan.
 - c. Importance of Formosa.
 - d. UN control of Korea.
 - e. Burma.
 - f. The Philippines.
 - g. Siam.
 - h. Indonesia.
16. Miscellaneous.
 - a. UN armed force.
 - b. Latin America.

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